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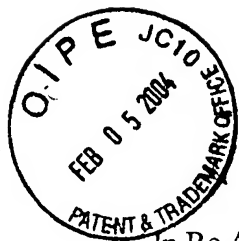
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The following is a list of documents enclosed:

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COMMUNICATION

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Sir:

Attached is a corrected Form PTO-1449 in connection with the above-referenced application to correct the following formalities:

1. The publication date of Item M has been changed to "12/20/97";
2. "S.J. PROC. NATL. ADAC. SCI. USA" has been changed to read "PROC. NATL. ADAC. SCI. USA", in Item A3;
3. "ACID" has been changed to read "ACIDS", in Item A4;
4. "Hetroplasmic" has been changed to read "Heteroplasmic", in Item A5;
5. "1035 (1984)" has been changed to read "1035-1042 (1984)", in Item A8;
6. "GloSbin" has been changed to read "Globin", in Item A18;

7. "SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN 28" as been changed to read "SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN 258", in Item A19; and
8. "Allele" as been changed to read "Allele", in Item A20.

It is believed that no additional fee is due with this corrected Form PTO-1449 for at least the reason that it is filed before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits. In the event the Examiner determines an additional fee is required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite fee to Deposit Account No. 20-0778.

Respectfully submitted ,

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